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1. The first part of the paper is devoted to a review of the literature on the topic. It starts with a general introduction to the field, followed by a detailed discussion of the various methods used in the study. The second part of the paper presents the results of the study, which are then discussed in the context of the existing literature. The final part of the paper concludes with a summary of the findings and some suggestions for future research.

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